# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 14 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 15 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 13 Jun 2023 at 14:23 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High confidence for conditions becoming more settled from Wednesday and mainly dry Thursday into Friday. High confidence for returning showers Friday afternoon and Saturday. Lower confidence in the detail of the showers.

**Headline for Wednesday 14 Jun 2023:** A dry day with sunny periods.

**Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 14 Jun 2023**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>No Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>No Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>No Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>High Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| Clear night | Clear night | Sunny | Sunny | Sunny | Sunny | Sunny | Sunny |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 00% | 00% | 00% | 00% | 20% | 30% | 30% | 10% |

**Forecast for Wednesday 14 Jun 2023**

**Weather:** The day will be dry with long sunny periods and some patchy high level cloud.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 85%

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Patchy cloud will remain above the summits and the visibility will stay good.

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**Forecast for Wednesday 14 Jun 2023**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 15/19 SE | 11/14 SE | 11/14 S | 8/12 S | 10/14 S | 11/16 S | 12/18 SE | 15/20 SE | 14/18 SE |
| **900** | 14/17 SE | 11/15 SE | 9/13 S | 7/11 S | 7/12 S | 10/15 S | 12/17 SE | 13/17 SE | 12/16 SE |
| **600** | 7/9 SE | 5/6 SE | 7/10 E | 6/9 E | 7/11 SW | 10/15 S | 11/16 SE | 12/16 SE | 9/12 SE |
| **300** | 5/8 SE | 5/9 E | 4/7 E | 4/7 W | 6/11 SW | 8/13 S | 9/15 SE | 10/18 SE | 8/16 E |
| **Glen** | 3/7 W | 2/4 NW | 2/4 E | 3/6 SE | 5/10 SW | 6/11 S | 7/15 S | 4/9 SE | 3/8 E |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 13/10 | 12/9 | 12/9 | 12/11 | 14/12 | 14/12 | 14/11 | 11/8 | 9/6 |
| **900** | 13/10 | 11/9 | 13/12 | 16/14 | 18/17 | 18/16 | 17/15 | 13/10 | 10/8 |
| **600** | 18/16 | 16/15 | 16/15 | 18/17 | 20/18 | 20/18 | 20/17 | 17/14 | 14/12 |
| **300** | 19/18 | 17/16 | 18/17 | 20/19 | 22/21 | 23/21 | 22/20 | 18/16 | 16/14 |
| **Glen** | 15/15 | 13/13 | 18/18 | 22/23 | 25/25 | 26/25 | 24/23 | 20/19 | 15/15 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 2800m | 2600m | 2500m | 2400m | 2500m | 2800m | 2700m | 2700m | 2500m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Nothing to add.

**Forecast for Thursday 15 Jun 2023**
**Weather:** A dry day with long sunny periods.

**Maximum wind:** Southeast 5-10mph.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 95%

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Patchy high cloud will develop through the morning with base above the summits. The visibility will be good.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 15 Celsius rising plus 26 Celsius.
**At 800m:** Plus 14 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above summits.

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